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IN THE CLAIMS

1. (currently amended) An apparatus for indicating time comprising:

a pointer arrangement including at least one first pointer and a second pointer, the at least one first pointer providing an indication of local time by means of revolving movement over a dial with a pointer period of revolution of twelve hours, the second pointer providing an indication of a world time by means of revolving movement over the dial with a period of revolution of twenty-four hours in cooperation with a first scale disposed on the dial, the first scale comprising a sequence of numbers and associated visual demarcations indicated on the dial, the numbers specifying degrees of rotation of the second pointer in a range between 0 and 360 degrees, and the visual demarcations indicative of degrees of rotation of the second pointer, wherein each degree of rotation of the second pointer represents a time interval of four minutes present on the dial having a number of graduations that is a multiple of 24; and

a drive mechanism, coupled to said at least one first pointer and said second pointer, which is adapted to cause the revolving movement of said at least one first pointer and said second pointer.

- 2. (currently amended) An apparatus as claimed in claim 1, wherein the sequence of numbers of said first scale include 30, 60, 90, 120, 150, 180, 210, 240, 270, 300, 330 and 360 has 360 degrees, each degree corresponding to a time interval of four minutes.
- 3. (previously presented) An apparatus as claimed in claim 1, wherein said at least one first pointer is independently adjustable with respect to said second pointer so as to set a time that differs in dependence on location, while said second pointer continues to indicate a world time.

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4. (previously presented) An apparatus as claimed in claim 2, wherein said at least one

first pointer comprises three pointers.

5. (currently amended) An apparatus as claimed in claim 1, provided with a second scale

corresponding to an interval of twelve hours, and a third scale corresponding to an

interval of twenty-four hours, and wherein said first scale is divided into 360 units.

6. (previously presented) An apparatus as claimed in claim 5, wherein said first, second

and third scales are arranged in a fixed position.

7. (previously presented) An apparatus as claimed in claim 5, wherein said third scale is

constructed as an adjustable rotary ring, and said first and second scales are fixedly

positioned and are present within said third scale.

8. (previously presented) An apparatus as claimed in claim 1, further provided with a

time indication in the form of a block with changing numerals associated with said

second pointer.

9. (previously presented) An apparatus as claimed in claim 1, further provided with a

clock face having a visible portion with a legend.

10. (previously presented) A watch provided with said apparatus as claimed in claim 1.

11. (previously presented) An apparatus as claimed in claim 1, wherein said at least one

first pointer includes a slowest pointer with a period of revolution of twelve hours and at

least one faster pointer with a period of revolution less than twelve hours.

12. (previously presented) An apparatus as claimed in claim 11, wherein said at least one

faster pointer includes a pointer with a period of revolution of one hour and another

pointer with a period of revolution of one minute.

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13. (previously presented) An electronic appliance provided with said apparatus as

claimed in claim 1.

14. (previously presented) An electronic appliance as claimed in claim 13 as part of a

personal computer system.

15. (previously presented) An electronic appliance as claimed in claim 13 as part of a

mobile telephone.

16. (previously presented) An electronic appliance as claimed in claim 13 as part of an

instrument panel in a car, train or airplane.